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**Preliminary Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
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May 27, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Office communication of May 10, 2004, please amend  
the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Sequence Listing** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**A substitute sequence listing** is attached following page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Sequence Listing:**

Please insert the attached 4 page Sequence Listing into the application. The attached Sequence Listing is a substitute for the Sequence Listing currently on file.